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DONE QUICKLY

Chicago Banker Pleaded Guilty.

Sentenced to Indefinite Period In the Joliet Penitentiary.

VERGE OF COLLAPSE

When Flashlight Picture

Was Taken of the Court Room.

Curious Crowd Awaiting

His Arrival Outwitted

By the Police.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Paul O. Stens-

land, fugitive president of the defunct

Milwaukee Avenue State bank ar-

rived in Chicago at 8:55 today on the

Twentieth Century limited on the

Lake Shore road. He was taken im-

mediately to the criminal court build-

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Curious Were Baffled.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Stensland left

the train under heavy guard of po-

lice and detectives. Many persons

were waiting the arrival of the train

but their hopes of catching a sight of

Stensland were baffled by the police.

The party left the Lake Shore station

at the rear of the train shed where

carriages were in waiting and drove

quickly to the criminal court build-

ing.

Pleaded Guilty.

Stensland on appearing before Judge

Kerston in the criminal court this

afternoon pleaded guilty to charges of

embezzlement. Just as Stensland ut-

tered the word "guilty" a flash light

photograph was taken of the scene in

the court room. Stensland was great-

ly agitated and taking a seat he seem-

ed for a moment on the verge of col-

lapse. He talked quickly, however.

Judge Kerston sentenced him to an in-

determinate period in the Joliet pen-

itentiary.

He pleaded guilty to two indict-

ments both charging embezzlement.

The maximum penalty under the law

is fourteen years.

Stensland, in charge of Jaffer White

was left for the Joliet penitentiary

shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon.

FOUR HUNDRED

CASES ON DOCKET.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 26.—The next

term of the supreme court of the

United States will begin a week from

next Monday. The docket now con-

tains over 400 cases and others will

be added before the opening day. Among

the important cases which will receive

early attention are the following:

The contempt proceeding against

certain citizens of Chattanooga, Tenn.,

in connection with the lynching of a

negro prisoner in whose case the court

had taken jurisdiction; the Kansas

Colorado suit involving jurisdiction

over the irrigation waters of the Ar-

kansas river, Barcelona vs. Baker, in-

volving the question as to whether

the Philippine commission has power

to suspend the writ of habeas cor-

pus in the Philippine, Moyer, Haywood

and Pettibone of the Western Federa-

tion of Labor, vs. Nicholas, involv-

ing their right to release from prison

in Idaho. Where they are imprisoned

of complicity in the murder last year

of former Governor Steunenburg.

DIRTY DAIRIES.

Columbus, Sept. 26.—State Dairy

and Food Commissioner Ankeny re-

ceived reports as to the cleanliness of

ten dairies today as tested by the Wis-

consin culling experiment, made by

Prof. Markworth. Of the ten only

three were found to be clean. The

others were either "dirty" or "very

dirty." The milk from dairies at

Springfield and Zanesville.

OHIO GIRL NAMED.

By Associated Press.

Oberlin, Ohio, Sept. 26.—Miss Cor-

nella Johnson, daughter of E. P. John-

son of this place, was nominated at

the republican county convention at

Delta, Colo., a few days since for

county school superintendent.

Miss Johnson was a prominent

teacher here until she went west for

her health. Her father, E. P. Johnson,

is president of the Oberlin bank and

a leading dry goods merchant.

WALLER NAMED

To Direct All Marines In Cuba.

Ordered to Go at Once From Norfolk to City of Havana.

HE WILL MAKE EVERY

Arrangement For Landing

of Naval Soldiers

Going Later.

All Forces Ordered to Cuba

Are Expected at Sail-

ing Port Today.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Col. Little-

ton W. T. Waller, of the marine corps,

who is to direct the movement of all

marines in Cuba, was ordered today

to proceed at once from Norfolk to

Havana and make preparations for

the direction of the movement of

marines ordered to Cuba. Col. Waller

is expected to leave Norfolk today for

Key West or any other Florida port

where he can make the quickest con-

nection with a Havana steamer. He

was directed by Brig. Gen. G. F.

Elliott, commandant of the marine

corps to assume immediate command

of all of the marines in Cuba upon his

arrival there and to prepare for the

landing of additional marines who will

arrive next week.

Plans have been arranged for the

moving of marines in the south. Or-

ders have been issued for marines at

Pensacola to proceed to Mobile and

take the first available steamer for

Havana. It is not expected that these

marines will sail before Saturday.

The Kew West marines have also been

directed to take the first steamer sail-

ing from that port for Havana and the

New Orleans marines will proceed on

a Morgan line steamer from that port

as originally announced. All of the

marines ordered to Cuba will doubt-

less get away from the United States

by Saturday and it is expected that

the cruiser Brooklyn will sail from

League Island to-morrow morning.

The marines from the Atlantic fleet

were organized and sailed last night

under orders direct from Rear Ad-

miral Evans. When they arrive at

Havana Col. Waller will direct their

organization as the situation may

demand. Lieut. Col. Franklin J.

McGee, now at the Annapolis marine

barracks, is to command the second

regiment of marines. Major Edward

R. Lowndes, now at the marine bar-

racks at Charleston, S. C., is to com-

mand the fifth battalion.

All the marines and officers ordered

to Cuba are expected to be at the port

from which they are to sail by this

afternoon. The Portsmouth, N. H.,

Boston and Newport, R. I., marines

are to sail on the Prairie from Boston.

The Portland and Annapolis will sail

on the Brooklyn from League Island

and the Norfolk, Washington and

Charleston, S. C., marines will go on

the Texas from Norfolk.

Texas Being Prepared.

Washington, Sept. 26.—The Battle

ship Texas which is in reserve at the

Norfolk navy yard, is being prepared

with all haste for the transportation

of troops to Cuba in case the services

should be needed. Instructions have

been sent from the navy department

to this effect and only a few days will

be necessary to make all preparations

for sending the ship to Havana.

The cruiser Brooklyn also in reserve

is being prepared under similar in-

structions sent to her.

The auxiliary cruiser Prairie which

is at Boston will be placed in commis-

sion and will be available for trans-

port service. The cruiser Columbia,

on which Secretary Root is returning

from Columbia will be available for

the transportation of troops immedi-

ately upon his transfer to a smaller

ship. It is expected the Columbia

will be available for the use of troops

not later than Tuesday next.

To Board Tennessee.

New York, Sept. 26.—Orders were

received yesterday by Captain Reeder,

acting commandant of the navy yard

to send a battalion of marines from

the barracks and receiving ship in

the yard to League Island, where they

will board the armored cruiser Ten-

nessee to go to Cuba. One hundred

and eighty blue jackets were sent at

a clock last evening to League Is-

land.

Two hundred and eighty marines

will

AGRICULTURE

Disorders Have Broken Out in the Province of Viaka.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 26.—Grave

Agrarian disorders have broken

out in the province of Viaka, the

center of disturbances being the

important district of Malmuisk,

with a population of over 100,000

where, according to the reports

IS IN GALA ATTIRE

The City of Toledo Is Giving Greeting to the Knights.

THE STATE CONCLAVE

Largely Attended With the Lima Sir Knights to the Forefront.

In gala attire, the streets resplendent with lights, symbolic of masonry, a dark night in Toledo was turned into day.

All through the downtown section the air today is filled with the blare of bands and the streets present a martial appearance as hundreds of knights together parade from one reception hall to the other.

The Commanderies Present.

Practically all of the expected commanderies have arrived, and at this time fully 6000 visiting knights, ladies and their friends are the guests of Toledo.

More than 30 bands accompanied them, and all Toledo is turned over to their festivities.

The big reception of last night was that of the two Toledo commanderies, held at the new temple. Oriental and Holyrod of Cleveland held receptions at the Boody house, while Forest City is at the St. Charles.

Reception of the Guests.

Mt. Vernon commandery of Columbus is at the Boody and Manselman of Cincinnati is at the Tavern. These commanderies, with several from the smaller cities, held receptions till 3 o'clock at their various hotels, after which all joined in a big parade to the Masonic Temple to pay respects to the Toledo commanderies.

The visitors are all well taken care of, and so far not a single incident to mar a glorious convalesce has occurred.

In a review of the various Sir Knights of the state—published with photos, appeared the likeness of Dr. M. S. Bowser in the Toledo Blade last night, with the following notice.

MATTHIAS S. BOWSER.

Eminent Commander Shawnee Commandery No. 14, Lima.

The Rev. Matthias Stevens Bowser, clergyman, physician and commander of Shawnee Commandery, was raised in Lodge No. 205, February 20, 1893; exalted in Lima Chapter, No. 49, January 25, 1901; made a member of Lima Council, No. 28, February 5, 1891, and knighted in Shawnee Commandery November 20, 1901. He received the fourteenth degree in M. A. M. Lodge of Perfection; the sixteenth degree in Northern Light Council; and the eighteenth degree in Fort Industry Chapter, Rose Croix, June 7, 1895.

OF INTEREST TO MANY.

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Wm. F. Melville, old postoffice corner.

SOUTH SIDE ITEMS.

Brief Mentions.

The Charles Potter family, who in the spring left Lima and went to Europe, the land of his birth, has returned, and located on east Second street.

Mrs. H. Moss, of south Central avenue, is entertaining her niece, Miss Sarah Chavous.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dunlap and daughter, who have been visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity, left this morning for their home in Liberal, Kansas.

Lake View relatives are entertain-

ing Mr. and Mrs. N. D. McCoy of Michigan avenue.

Wm. Batome has sold his property on south Central street, to the Rev. George Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tucker, of Fairview avenue, have returned from their visit; he to relatives in Tourlow, Ky., she to relatives at Tipton, Ind.

Having visited relatives in south Lima, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Shuler returned to Collinwood, yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Taylor, of south Broadway, a fine baby daughter.

Having visited friends at Toledo for several days, Mrs. N. N. unkle, of south Main street, returned today. Mrs. S. A. Plummer and daughter, of west Kibby street, are visiting her parents near Sidney.

Doctors Are Puzzled.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth Melver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the throat and congestion of the lungs, three doctors gave me up to die when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, I saved my life." Cures the worst coughs and colds, bronchitis, tonsillitis, weak lungs, hoarseness and La Grippe. Guaranteed at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

ENTHUSIASTIC FOR

CHURCH CENSUS.

Scores of Religious Workers Willing to Act as Visitors Sept. 29th.

Upon reading an item in the paper that a census of Lima was to be taken on the part of the combined churches, a man walked into Secretary Eberhart's office at the Y. M. C. A. and said: "What can I do now, to help this movement along?" Mr. Eberhart tried not to act surprised, and immediately made the man a district director. It would not be surprising if this man's picture appears shortly on the wall in the Y. M. C. A. However, the spirit of helpfulness for this movement is manifested in the city, and scores of the best church workers in Lima have agreed to serve Saturday afternoon as enumerators.

The committee's appeal was for 120 visitors—the number needed in order to cover every home within the corporate limits, and Solarville, within four hour's time. Up to this noon the names of 208 workers had been reported.

This evening an instruction meeting for the visitors is to be held in the Market street Presbyterian church at 7:30. This meeting will be conducted by A. H. Cross, of Cleveland. The enumerators will be shown how to mark the record cards and other information will be given. It is important that every one who is to serve as a visitor be present; the meeting is open to the general public. General Chairman F. W. Holmes will preside and after the instructions have been given, will read the list of visitors showing to what district each has been assigned.

Business or professional people, or men free from work at the shop, Saturday afternoon, are requested to volunteer for service on the reserve list—to be used as an enumerator. Saturday afternoon, if needed. Such Christian workers who find they might give the afternoon—or a part of it—will please advise Mr. Eberhart at the Y. M. C. A.

INDIANS ON THE WARPATH.

There will be something doing at P. H. T. hall tomorrow evening as the hunters have returned with a pale face from the forest and they are going to torture him at the camp tomorrow. Let all Indians bring their tomahawks, scalp knives and war clubs and we will see if he can stand the torture—also have the adoption of bylaws. By order of C. of R.

If you can't have your way, be satisfied with the next best thing.

MORE TROUBLE

Faces Voliva, Successor to Dowle.

New Leader Has Arisen In Zion City to Contest His Supremacy.

LEADERS QUIT FAITH.

In a Single Week Hundreds Have Cut the Ties That Bound

Them to Zion and Will Leave With Proselyter For the West.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—A new leader has arisen in Zion City. He is Chas. F. Parham, an evangelist of the apostolic faith, a sect that has five thousand followers, chiefly in Kansas and California. In a single week he has attracted several hundred followers and last night General Overseer Voliva held a special meeting of officers of the church to see if some prompt and effective measures could not be taken against the proselyter. His converts include some of the prominent elders. "You must choose either me or this intruder who has stolen into our church," said Voliva at the meeting at Zion College.

Meanwhile Parham was holding an enthusiastic meeting at the residence of John Clark, not more than a block away from the college. The house was crowded and the congregation covered the lawn. Parham's most important convert is A. F. Lee, who resigned during the day his position as general ecclesiastical secretary of the church. W. H. Parham, who was manager of the Zion City bank until two weeks ago, is another and Geo. A. Rogers, manager of Elijah hospital is another.

CRUDE OIL MARKET.

Pennsylvania	1.58
Texas	1.68
Second Sand	1.53
Richland county	1.73
New Castle	1.35
Princeton, Ind.	.64
Illinois	.64
Coring	1.10
Cabell county	1.08
North Lima	.90
South Lima	.85
Indiana	.85
Somerset	.85
Ragland	.85
Kansas and Indian Territory—	
32 degrees and above	.39
Canada	1.32

Pine-salve cleanses wounds, is highly antiseptic, unequalled for cracked hands. Good for cuts. Sold by H. Vortkamp's drug store.

CAPABLE WOMEN ARE ADVANCED.

By Associated Press. Columbus, Sept. 26.—State mine inspector Geo. Harrison has filled the vacancy caused by resignation of Wm. Werker, his chief clerk, by promoting to the place Miss Mary Kinkaid, formerly his stenographer, and has also promoted Miss Harriet McGee, formerly a clerk to be stenographer. The salary of the stenographer is \$75 a month and that of the clerk \$100. No clerk has been appointed to succeed Miss McGee and probably none will be.

Dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I was so weak from an attack of diarrhoea that I could scarcely attend to my duties, when I took a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It cured me entirely and I had been taking other medicine for nine days without relief. I heartily recommend this remedy as being the best to my knowledge for bowel complaints. R. G. Stewart, of the firm of Stewart & Bro., Greenville, Ala. For sale by all druggists.

A SILVER MEDAL OARTORICAL CONTEST.

Under the auspices of the W. C. T. U will be held in the Calvary Reformed church, Wednesday night, Sept. 26, at 8 o'clock. Admission 10c.

To Remove Freckles & Pimples

In Ten Days, Use Nadinola

A new discovery, sold under a positive guarantee and money returned in every case where it fails to remove freckles, pimples, blotches, spots, skin diseases, eruptions of the skin, no matter how long standing. Cures ordinary cases in 10 days, and worst in 30 days. After these defects are removed the skin will be clear, soft, healthy and beautiful. No possible harm can result from its use. 50 cents and \$1.00. Leading drug stores or by mail. NATIONAL TOILET COMPANY, Paris, Tenn. Sold by H. F. VORTKAMP, Druggist.

ENTERTAINING MEN

At His Home the Charge

Against Wife In Divorce Court

AT THE COURT HOUSE.

Grand Jury Continuing the Daily Grind In Petty Cases.

There has been a decided lull in the divorce business the past week, until a batch of the clerk's office were reheving the world was becoming better. The monotony was broken today by the filing of an action-pleading by John W. Keysor against his wife, Bertha.

Plaintiff states they were married December 10, 1901, and no children have been born to them. He alleges gross neglect of duty in that he states his wife has been receiving and entertaining gentlemen friends at his home, and that she did so entertain on June 28th, one, John Lawrence, and had on divers other times entertained the said Lawrence. Keysor further alleges his wife deserted him on that night and that since she has lived separate and apart from him. He asks a decree.

The Grand Jury Grind. The grand jury is interviewing witnesses at a lively rate and already over fifty have been called. So far only the petty cases have been investigated, and there is no indication of greater things in the list of witnesses subpoenaed.

Court Is Busy. Judge Cromptingham spent the morning and afternoon hearing motions and demurrers, and the attorneys will keep him busy at this work during the remainder of the week.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *W. D. Hoagland*

TONS OF STEEL.

By Associated Press. Youngstown, O., Sept. 26.—A stock rack, holding tons of steel, gave way at the Union Works of the Carnegie Steel company today, burying three men under a mass of metal. It took an hour to release them. Other workmen were struck by falling iron, but escaped serious injury. Seve Rosh, Geo. Melchiner and Paul Wolfe were badly hurt.

Sick Headache. This disease is caused by a derangement of the stomach. Take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to correct this disorder and the sick headache will disappear. For sale by all druggists.

TOO SERIOUS TO BE SMOOTHED.

By Associated Press. Columbus, Sept. 26.—Governor Harris called on Secretary Shierer today for a conference regarding the Athens state hospital investigation. The governor is greatly puzzled over it. The case seems too serious to be smoothed and hardly serious enough to warrant the removal of Steward Carpenter. His friends urge the fact that even though the abuses are proved, they have not been eradicated.

SENATOR COLBY GIVEN KNOCK OUT.

By Associated Press. New York, Sept. 26.—The result of the republican primaries held in New Jersey yesterday were for the most part unfavorable to the faction of the party headed by State Senator Colby. Senator Colby was defeated in his own ward in West Orange, by a few votes. The regular republicans carried Essex, Passaic and Hudson counties and the cities of Newark and Paterson. Jersey City is claimed by Senator Colby's adherents.

Glad to Lose It.

The suburbanite awakened with a start. Peering down in the deep shadows of the porch he discovered the determined face of an intruder. "Who are you?" he demanded. "I am a burglar," was the bold retort.

"A burglar, eh? Well, here is a five spot. Go out and steal that lawn mower from under the tree before my wife wakes up."

Matter of Choice.

"Women," growled old Baldwin, "have long hair because they are not yet civilized." "Well," rejoined Mrs. Baldwin, "if you call that head of yours, which reminds me of a quinine capsule, a product of civilization, I prefer to remain a savage."

When a man marries he thinks his wife is an angel, and what a pity it is she doesn't keep up the bluff.

MAKE CALLS AT NIGHT.

Peculiar Custom of the Arab Ladies of Zanzibar.

The Arab ladies of Zanzibar live in great seclusion in the large white houses, never going out in the daytime from one year's end to another, says the Manchester Guardian. A little cooking and sweetmeat making is their only recognized employment, though some few of them can do beautiful silk embroidery. To be on their beds and be fanned by their slave girls is the usual occupation of the Zanzibar women.

If they want to visit their friends, or, as is more often the case, to perambulate the town, they wait until 5 o'clock in the evening, when a gun is fired warning all Mohammedans that it is the fifth and last hour of prayer; then they may go out. They are entirely enveloped in large mantles and their faces completely hidden by very ugly gilt masks, with oblong slits for the eyes, and many of them wear these even in the privacy of their own homes. Their other garments are trousers and a tunic reaching below the knee, which is often embroidered and trimmed with gold braid. They have a number of gold and silver ornaments, nose rings and earrings, bracelets, anklets, and so on.

They are very light in color, many of them cream colored. Their features are regular and good, and they have dark eyes and silky black hair. They paint under their eyes a d stain their hands and nails a reddish color with henna. If they want to go any distance from home they ride through the narrow streets on large white asses stained a brick red, their slaves running by their sides, but you generally meet them striking solemnly along, surrounded by their slaves, who carry enormous lanterns as big as a London street lamp.

Very often they do not return home till 4 in the morning, when another gun is fired proclaiming the first hour of prayer. It is very awkward at times when you meet in the streets some of these ladies whom you ought to know and are greeted by them. You cannot see their faces, it is not always easy to recognize a voice, and nothing would offend them more than to ask their names.

FREAKS OF THE LAVA.

Some Curious Incidents of an Overflow of Vesuvius.

At one house, which had been entirely surrounded by the flood, but not destroyed, one saw people, on top of the mass of lava, entering the upper windows with a ladder and bringing forth their household goods to transport them to a place of safety. One vineyard was surrounded on three sides by this dividing current, and it was possible to walk into it among the lines of trimmed vines and to perceive the fire still glowing in the towering walls of lava on each side. The people attributed this remarkable phenomenon to the miraculous intervention of their Madonna, "Our Lady of the Snows," with whose sacred image they had confronted the all devouring monster sweeping implacably down on their apparently doomed homes.

Step by step the priests and the faithful, singing the litany, retreated as the awful flood swept on, and still the sound of singing and prayer rose above the fearful roar of the torrent and the thunder of the mountain above, belching forth from the central crater fiery bombs and enormous swirls of cinder, sand and smoke, which rose to great heights. Yard by yard the lava swept onward. Now a palatial villa would be surrounded by the torrent, crushed down and disappear in smoke; now a weeping peasant would see his little cottage and vineyard, his all, go under in an instant.

One poor woman was thus watching the fate of her earthly belongings from a little eminence when a smaller crater came roaring forth at her very feet. She turned to flee, fell, rolled to the bottom of the little hill, and the next moment the lava flowed forth like the foam from a glass of beer and swept over the spot where she had been standing an instant before.—William P. Andrews in Century.

Gluttonous Eskimos.

The eating powers of the Eskimos, if the tales told in the books of northern explorations are to be believed, are most extraordinary. One writer tells of a young man scarcely full grown who ate four pounds and four ounces of frozen sea horse flesh, four pounds and four ounces of sea horse flesh broiled, one pound and twelve ounces of bread, one and one-fourth pounds of rich gravy in twelve bowls. Besides eating the above he also drank one pint of grog, three glasses of raw spirits and nine pints of water.

Convalescence. When a sick person is becoming convalescent, the rule of a quiet time between 2 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon should still be adhered to until complete strength is regained. Even if the patient cannot obtain sleep the fact of lying quietly in a darkened room will rest both eyes and brain, producing that feeling of wide awake brightness which invalids so often feel in the evening, to them the pleasantest time of the day in consequence.

Base Slander.

"Your husband," said Mrs. Highmoss graciously, "is decidedly interesting and original, even if he does sometimes blow his own horn a little too soon." "It isn't so," indignantly exclaimed Mrs. Gaswell. "My husband always uses his handkerchief!"—Chicago Tribune.

It is a common fault to be never satisfied with our fortune nor dissatisfied with our understanding.—Rochefort.

How intensely rivals hate each other! And rivals in business hate each other almost as much as rivals in love.

R. T. GREGG & CO.

A Great Sale of Rugs.

On Thursday morning we place on sale just (100) one hundred choice New Brussel Rugs, size 27x54, all absolutely new designs and patterns. Not one rug will be sold at the price before Thursday morning at sale price.

Sale Opens at 8 O'clock and Closes Promptly at 12.

The Choice Is

89c.

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The Easy Way



to pay debts is in weekly or monthly installments. If you want to pay your debts, and you don't know what to do, come and see us.

We will see your creditors and arrange so that you can pay out.

THE HARD WAY

is to do nothing until suit is brought and cost added to the bill.

The Chown Commercial Co.

Collections and Credit Ratings. 29 Public Square, LIMA, OHIO.

NEW ORPHIUM FAMILY THEATRE

Market Street, Opposite Interurban Station. Refined Vaudeville, Week of Monday, Sept. 24th.

COLE & COLEMAN, Comedy Musicians. JOHN AND MAMIE CONROY, Singing and Dancing. YOSEMITE TROUT, ACROBATS. HARVEY & DOANE, Comedy sketch artists. DO'AMO, and his talking dog, only act of its kind in vaudeville.	DODD & LOBAR, Comedy acrobats. JAMES B. DONOVAN, King of Ireland, highest salaried single act in vaudeville. HELENA KELLER, Soprano. ORPHIUMSCOPE.
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MATINEE DAILY AT 3:00. 10 CENTS.

Two performances each evening, 7:30 & 9:00. 10c & 20c. Boxes 25c. Special performance every Sunday evening at 8:15—Lima Hospital benefit. Ice water served during the performance. Special attraction on Friday night, Lima's best local talent. Seats reserved. New Phone 1243 R.

Children's prize matinee Saturday, 5 cents.

GET THE HABIT.

Learn to be patient; you'll find a lot of use for patience before you die.

What has become of the old fashioned boy who had his school books covered with callus?

MISS GRACE COVER.

Teacher of ELOCUTION AND PHYSICAL CULTURE. 303 W. Market St. New phone 219A.

Our Line

of shoes for Fall are certainly right, both in quality and price.

- Men's Shoes, all styles and leathers, from \$1.50 TO \$5.00.
- Women's Shoes in all the new lasts and leathers at \$1.50 TO \$4.00.
- Boys' Shoes, in Vici Kid, Patent Colt, Box Calf and Valour Calf from \$1.00 TO \$2.50.
- Misses School Shoes in Dongola, strictly solid, at \$1.50 TO \$2.00.
- Child's School Shoes, excellent quality from \$1.00 TO \$1.35.

Call and look them over and see if quality and prices are not better than any dealer in the city.

Kraft Shoe Co.

K MARKET

Prices of Stocks

are Weak

ne of Pennsylvania
and Copper
ome Higher.

OPENED EASY.

Favorable Weath-
Movement of Crop
he Northwest.

is on Live Stock,
n, Produce and
Provision.

Sept. 26.—Opening prices
owed a yielding tendency
was effective in some of
ave favorites. Members of
vania group, the Coppers
thers were slightly higher.

and Ohio rising 3-4, and
they pfd a point. Great
ld fell 1-12; Brooklyn
and Northern Pacific
Gas and Locomotive

Wool Market.
Sept. 26.—More substantial
ing shown in the wool mar-
y wool graded and in
is constantly selling while
practically all grades meet
ed, steady demand. The
purchases are for present

unwashed sells at 25¢26
washed delaine at 26¢27
shed delaine at 25¢29; xx
2. Michigan 3-8's at 33¢
and half bloods at 32¢33
unwashed at 25¢26 cents.

at Shade Lower.

Sept. 26.—Wheat opened
lower owing to favorable
the movement of the
e northwest. December
shade to 1/4¢ 1/2 lower at
sold at 75¢ 1/4 and then
to 75¢ 1/2.

al rash to buy corn sent
up to 42¢ 1/4 43¢.

al demand, December oats
21¢.

provision opened quiet
pork at 13.35; lard at
at 7.12 1/2.

Chicago Live Stock.

Sept. 26.—Cattle receipts
ket strong to 10 cents high
\$6.00; cows and heifers
stockers and feeders \$2.65
and \$3.50; western \$4.50
\$6.50 to \$8.40.

Insured receipts 20,000; mar-
Good heavy \$6.55 to 6.75;
ry \$5.90 to 6.20; light \$6.45
pigs \$5.75 to 6.40; bulk of
at 6.00.

Chicago Closing.

Sept. 26.—Wheat: Close—
Dec. 75.

Sept. 26.—Dec. 43 1/2.

Sept. 34 1/2, Dec. 34 1/2 to 1/4.

Sept. 33.00; Oct. 32.50 to 33 1/2.

Sept. 32.00; Oct. 31.50 to 32 1/2.

Sept. 31.00; Oct. 30.50 to 31 1/2.

Sept. 30.00; Oct. 29.50 to 30 1/2.

Sept. 29.00; Oct. 28.50 to 29 1/2.

Sept. 28.00; Oct. 27.50 to 28 1/2.

Sept. 27.00; Oct. 26.50 to 27 1/2.

Sept. 26.00; Oct. 25.50 to 26 1/2.

Sept. 25.00; Oct. 24.50 to 25 1/2.

Sept. 24.00; Oct. 23.50 to 24 1/2.

Sept. 23.00; Oct. 22.50 to 23 1/2.

Sept. 22.00; Oct. 21.50 to 22 1/2.

Sept. 21.00; Oct. 20.50 to 21 1/2.

Sept. 20.00; Oct. 19.50 to 20 1/2.

Sept. 19.00; Oct. 18.50 to 19 1/2.

Sept. 18.00; Oct. 17.50 to 18 1/2.

Sept. 17.00; Oct. 16.50 to 17 1/2.

Chicago, 1, Brooklyn, 2

How They Stand.

Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct.

Chicago..... 110 24 .764

New York..... 90 33 .629

Pittsburg..... 87 55 .613

Philadelphia..... 68 75 .475

Cincinnati..... 62 83 .432

Brooklyn..... 59 82 .419

St. Louis..... 56 84 .347

Boston..... 46 97 .322

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit, 6; New York, 5.

Chicago, 3; Boston, 2.

Cleveland, 5; Philadelphia, 0.

St. Louis, 5; Washington, 4.

How They Stand.

Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct.

Chicago..... 85 55 .603

New York..... 85 56 .603

Cleveland..... 82 59 .581

Philadelphia..... 75 64 .539

St. Louis..... 71 69 .507

Detroit..... 67 73 .479

Washington..... 62 80 .371

Boston..... 46 98 .319

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Grand Rapids, 9; Evansville, 1.

Canton, 7; Springfield, 1.

Dayton, 5; Wheeling, 1.

How They Stand.

Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct.

Grand Rapids..... 99 52 .656

Springfield..... 91 60 .603

Canton..... 85 63 .574

Dayton..... 78 71 .523

Wheeling..... 75 77 .492

Evansville..... 65 82 .442

South Bend..... 63 88 .415

Terre Haute..... 33 106 .233

A sour stomach, a bad breath, a

pasty complexion and other conse-

quences of a disordered digestion are

quickly removed by the use of E.M.'s

Dyspepsia Tablets. Two day's treat-

ment free. Sold at H. F. Vorkamp's

drug store.

THREE MILES

ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

By Associated Press.

Pikes Peak, Sept. 26.—What ap-

parently was the highest official mil-

itary salute that was ever fired was the

original general salute fired on Pikes

Peak nearly three miles above sea

level this morning. It was fired by

guns from the 12th artillery U. S. A.,

and was in honor of Brig. Gen. Zelu-

lion Montgomery Pike, who in 1806 at

the head of the southwest expedition

sent out by the war department made

the first record of the existence and lo-

cation of the mountain that now bears

his name.

A handsome bronze tablet was un-

veiled by Nicholas Caldwell, a little

nephew of Mayor Nicholas Vre-

President Fairbanks spent the day in

Denver.

Don't be

a Martyr

Nature hasn't marked you for a

permanent victim of disease. You

suffering is simply an indication that

nature is endeavoring to assist you by

expelling from your system the

poisonous Uric Acid which causes

the unspeakable torment of

RHEUMATISM

AND NEURALGIA

Athlophoros is just the assistance

that nature requires to restore you to

health, strength and happiness. Ath-

lophoros dissolves the Uric Acid,

drives it out of the blood and rebuilds

the shattered constitution. The first

bottle generally proves its marvellous

efficacy. A few bottles usually cures

the most hopeless cases. Every drug-

gist in this town sells and recom-

mends it. Ask your druggist for

Athlo-phoros

FREE

Cut out this advertisement

now—this minute—and send it

to the Athlophoros Com-

pany New Haven Conn. with a short letter

giving the name of your druggist. We will

send you all prepaid. (Largest trial bottle of

Athlophoros, the valuable book "Rheumatism,

its Cause and Cure" (1) book, "Diet and Rheu-

matism," (1) Course in Diet, and a letter of

helpful suggestions.

Yesterday's Results.

New York, 2; Cincinnati, 1.

St. Louis, 3.

Philadelphia, 4; Pittsburg, 3.

S.S. DRIVES OUT RHEUMATISM

aches and pains of Rheumatism are only symptoms which may

be relieved with liniments, plasters, blisters, etc., or quieted

temporarily. As soon as the treatment is left off, however, or there is any

tendency to dampness, or an attack of indigestion, the nagging pain, sore

and tender places on the flesh return, and the sufferer finds that he

has checked the symptoms, while the real cause remains in the system.

The cause of Rheumatism is a too acid condition of the blood, brought on by

indigestion, chronic constipation, weak kidneys, and a general sluggish

condition of the system. Waste matter collects in the system each day

and nature intends shall be carried off, but when it is left because of a

bad condition of the system it sours and forms uric and other acids.

These acids are taken up by the blood and carried to all parts of the body to produce

aches and aches of Rheumatism. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism by going

to the blood and driving out the cause and making this life stream

pure and healthy. When the blood has been purified and built up by

the pains and aches pass away, the muscles become soft and elastic,

and the system driven from the system. Book on Rheumatism and medi-

cine free. THE S. S. S. CO., ATLANTA, GA.

A LOWER RATE

For Travel in Indiana

and Pennsylvania

Has Been Decided Upon By

the Central Passenger

Association.

OHIO AND MICHIGAN

Already Have a Two-Cent

Rate and No Change

Was Necessary.

Railroad Officials Hope to

Conciliate Public

Sentiment.

New York, Sept. 26.—The Central

Passenger Association yesterday de-

cided to put into effect November 1, a

two and one-half cent rate in all its

territory east of Illinois in which the

state legislatures have not already

made a maximum rate of two cents.

This will reduce the local rates only

in Indiana and in Pennsylvania west

of Pittsburg as Michigan and Ohio

have two cent fare laws, but it in-

volves a lowering of all the interstate

passenger rates north of the Ohio riv-

er and west of Syracuse, N. Y. The

meeting was called especially to

straighten out the eastern rate situa-

tion which has been tangled badly,

and was attended by the high traffic of-

ficials of all the eastern lines.

The roads' actions is the result

chiefly of a desire to conciliate the pub-

lic sentiment which in Indiana and

Pennsylvania has been demanding a

two cent fare.

FAST RUN ON FORT WAYNE.

A special train carrying the "George

Washington, Jr." theatrical company

in six cars made a run from Pittsburg

to Chicago last week in 9 hours 6

minutes, entire time, or about 8 hours

30 minutes actual running time. This

was at the average running rate of

about 56 miles an hour for the 468

miles. This was better time than is

made by the Pennsylvania special that

crack train that speeds over the 468

miles in 9 hours and 10 minutes. The

latter train also carries only four cars

from Pittsburg to Crestline and five

cars from there to Chicago, making

this run of the theatrical special still

better. The run of 189 miles from

Pittsburg to Crestline was made in 218

minutes of actual running. This run

and the regular on-time runs of the

Pennsylvania special bears out Pennsylv-

ania lines officers' claim that the

running time can easily be cut an

hour for the Pennsylvania special if

it becomes necessary.

Attending a Wedding.

Passenger Conductor Jack Clifford

and James Kelly, of the C. H. & D.,

were here from Toledo and Hamilton,

respectively, today, to attend the wed-

ding of Mr. John J. Sullivan and Miss

Julia Casey which occurred at St.

Johns church this morning.

First to Resign

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—Geo. W.

Clark, chief car distributor of the

Pennsylvania railroad, at Altoona,

Pa., resigned today. Mr. Clark was

a witness before the interstate com-

merce commission when that body

was investigating the charges that

the Pennsylvania railroad had dis-

criminated in the distribution of coal

cars in central Pennsylvania and ad-

mitted that he had received gifts

from coal companies located along

the lines of the railroad company.

A cold taken at this time of the

year is generally hard to get rid of

but it will not be able to withstand

Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. That

will cure all colds, coughs, croup,

whooping cough, etc., by driving

them out through the bowels. If

you have a cold, try it and if not

cured get your money back. No op-

tions. Sold at H. F. Vorkamp's drug

store.

ERIE RAILROAD

DENIES REPORT.

By Associated Press.

New York, Sept. 26.—It is authorita-

tively denied that the Erie Railroad

company is negotiating for the pur-

chase of the Toledo, St. Louis and

Western Railway company. It is ad-

mitted that the Erie company had in

contemplation a purchase of the Cleve-

land and Erie roads and officials of the

Erie made a trip of inspection over the

line but no further progress toward

the deal has been made.

Zora Phillips Potee, dramatic reader,

assisted by Messrs. Calvert and Mike-

sell, Mrs. Carl Fletcher and Miss

Gamble, at Spring Street Lutheran

church, Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Admission, 25c.

Don't fail to get a chance on the silk

dresses. Orphium theatre this week.

NUPTIAL HIGH MASS

Celebrated at St. John's

Church This Morning

at Seven-Thirty,

FOR HAPPY WEDDING

Of Mr. John J. Sullivan and

Miss Julia Casey—Many

Guests Present.

Nuptial mass was celebrated at St.

John's church, on south Main street,

at 7:30 o'clock

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Persons securing the Times-Democrat de-
livered to their homes may secure the
same by postal card address, or by order
through telephone No. 84.

WEATHER.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Sept. 26.—Rain to-
night and Thursday, warmer to-night
in east portion. Cooler Thursday.

LIMA DEMOCRATIC CLUB.

Calendar of Meetings.

Feb. 1st; Feb. 15th; March 1st and
15th; April 5th; May 3rd; June 7th;
July 5th, Aug. 2nd; Sept. 6th; Oct.
4th; Oct. 18th; Nov. 1st; Nov. 15th;
Dec. 6th and 20th.

AND FORAKER TOO.

DICKISM AND COXISM ARE MAK-
ING A STRENUOUS FIGHT AGAINST
THE PEOPLE FOR CONTROL OF
THE REPUBLICAN PARTY. IF
THEY SUCCEED THE PEOPLE
WILL LOSE. BUT THE MASSES
HAVE ONE RESOURCE. IF THEY
LOSE IN CONVENTION THE BAL-
LOT IS STILL THEIR WEAPON.—
REPUBLICAN-GAZETTE, SEPT. 12,
1906.

FROM THE COMMONER.

This time Maine did not go in the
old-time "bent" fashion.

The president's spelling reform was

Hood's

Sarsaparilla is unquestiona-
bly the greatest blood and
liver medicine known. It
positively and permanently
cures every humor, from
Pimples to Scrofula. It is
the Best.
Blood Medicine.

It would seem that Philadelphia had
been joked enough of late to thor-
oughly arouse it.

Mr. Littlefield says it is a vindic-
tion. It is, however, more of an in-
dication.

Those Russian revolutionists seem
to be having a regular South American
republic sort of a time.

The time has arrived when a politi-
cal party is known by the men it se-
lects to manage its affairs.

Secretary Shaw has been severely
admonishing the banks, and at the
same time tipping them a wink.

Banker Stensland can speak six lan-
guages. His victims find one ample
for the purpose of condemnation.

Speaker Cannon may well feel satis-
fied that his return to congress does
not depend upon the vote of Arizona.

Walter Wellman has postponed his
dash for the pole. He prefers a seat
near the baseburner during the win-
ter.

Now that the coal man is about due
a lot of tardy officials are making a
great display of anger against the ice
trust.

Representative Littlefield says Sam-
uel Gompers helped him. Yes, helped
him to lose about 4,000 of his majority.

Oklahoma's star will be placed in
the low right hand corner. But Okla-
homa will continue to occupy "top of
column" position.

Georgia is boasting of a "bumper
crop" of peanuts this year. Similar
conditions exist in politics in quite a
number of other states.

Secretary Wilson's secret investiga-
tion of the packing houses was such
a surprise to the packer that they had
everything in readiness for his visit.

GAS MAGNATES HERE

Making Inspection of Local
and Surrounding
Properties.

THE BIGGEST SUPPLY

Ever Known Is the Opinion
Regarding Eastern
Field.

C. F. Diedrick and A. B. Proal, the
Philadelphia gas magnates arrived
in Lima yesterday afternoon, along
with S. T. Murdock, of Lafayette,
one of the original promoters of the
gas systems in this state and Indiana.
The big men of the local company
are here on their annual inspection
of local and nearby properties, and
express themselves as highly pleased
with conditions. They believe the
Eastern Ohio fields will furnish the
greatest supply of gas ever known
and have no fears whatever for many
years to come.

General Superintendent J. D. S.
Neely is acting as escort for the
party over the general lines of the
company.

PULLEY BROKE

And Ed. Lippencott, of the
C. H. & D. Was Injured.

Edward Lippencott, a laborer em-
ployed at the C. H. & D. shops, was
injured this morning by being hit on
the head by some heavy material
which fell upon him as the result of
the breaking of a pulley. The in-
jured man was attended by Dr. Chen-
oweth and was removed to his home
on Shawnee street, in Williams and
Davis' ambulance. His injuries are
not considered serious.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED

Announcing the Death of a
Sister of Mrs. J. W.
Shanahan.

DIED IN A HOSPITAL

Where She Had Undergone
a Serious Surgical
Operation.

The sad news of the death of Miss
Mary Baker, sister of Mrs. J. W. Shan-
ahan and Will C. Baker, of north Main
street, reached this city this morning.
The demise occurred in St. Anthony's
hospital, in Columbus, where she was
operated on for tuberculosis of the
hip bone on Monday forenoon. Miss
Baker passed away a half hour after
the operation. The deceased is the
youngest daughter of Anthony C.
Baker, of Ada, and was a favorite
among a wide circle of friends. To
mourn her sad death are her venerable
father, A. C. Baker, one of the most
prominent farmers of Hardin county;
three sisters, Mrs. Shep Kerr and Mrs.
Chas. Schuster, of Ada; Mrs. James C.
Holland, of Topeka, Kansas, and Mrs.
J. W. Shanahan, of Lima, and three
brothers, Frank and Louis, of Ada, and
Will C. Baker, of Lima. The family
has the sincere sympathy of their
many friends in their hour of sorrow.
The last sad rites will occur from the
Catholic church in Ada on Friday
morning, at 8 o'clock, and the remains
brought to this city for interment in
Gethsemani, about noon.

Are you troubled with piles? One
application of Manzan will give you
immediate relief. H. F. Vorkamp's
drug store.

COAL GUARD FOUND GUILTY.

By Associated Press.
Steubenville, O., Sept. 26.—The
grand jury today returned an indict-
ment against Ray W. Talbott, of Cleve-
land, for murder in the second degree.
Talbot was captain of the guards
at the United States coal company's
mines at Bradley, during the late coal
strike and the indictment was founded
on the fact that he gave the guards
the order to fire when Frank Klum-
sara, a miner was killed. Another in-
dictment was returned against Captain
Talbot and Guard G. E. McMurphy, of
Cleveland, for shooting with intent to
kill and wound.

MUNICIPAL CONVENTION.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Sept. 26.—The tenth an-
nual convention of the League of
American Municipalities convened at
the Auditorium today with over eight
hundred delegates present from all
parts of the United States and Canada.
Mayor Edward F. Dunne was accord-
ed an ovation in welcoming the dele-
gates.

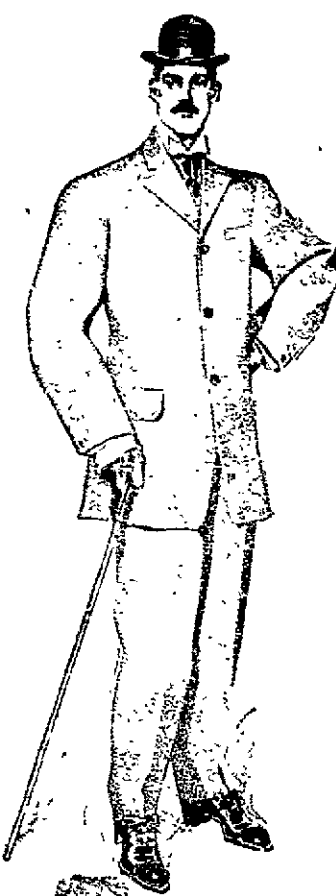
President Rhett, of Charleston, S. C.,
made the annual address.

Fall Styles in Men's Good Clothes Now Ready

You Will Find Character
Coupled With Finest
Construction
In Our

Stein-Bloch and Cloth-Craft

Clothes. They Have That
Collar and Shoulder
Style Not Found in
Ordinary Clothes.



Display of these Garments
in North Window.



STEIN-BLOCH SUITS
\$16.50 to \$25.00.

STEIN-BLOCH OVER-
COATS,
\$18.00 to \$35.00.

CLOTH-CRAFT SUITS,
\$10.00 to \$20.00.

CLOTH-CRAFT OVER-
COATS,
\$10.00 to \$20.00.

DRY GOODS. 221-223 North Main Street.
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Newest Styles in Autumn Materials and Fashions.

Our Autumn display of fashions and fabrics are
creating unusual interest among Lima shoppers.
As usual the new lines are characterized by a de-
gree of originality and exclusiveness peculiar to the
store. We invite inspection.

BEAUTIFUL PLAIDS.
Come both in bright and dark
shade, small and large plaids at 58c,
98c, \$1.00 the yard.
Imported French plaids, large
squares in green and brown combi-
nation; also red and green for sepa-
rate skirts or tailored jacket suits at
\$2.00 the yard.
Gray Plaids in light and dark
shades, come in a big range of styles
at \$1.00 the yard better values at
\$1.25 to \$1.50 the yard.
Marcelleaux, a French novelty at
\$1.00 the yard.
Wool Taffeta in pin check at \$1.00
the yard.
At \$1.00 the yard, Shetland cloth
come in cream, black and all colors,
its graceful free falling non-wrink-
ling, dust shedding qualities make
Shetland cloth appeal to every woman.
At \$1.00 rd., silk warp wool taf-
feta, all popular shades.
At \$1.00 yd., Empress Poplin, all
shade and black.
At \$1.00 a yd., French Herron
bone stripe serge, all shades.
At \$1.25 fancy Brickette Cloth,
in all best shades.
Broadcloth \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.
\$2.50 to \$3.75, 54 inches wide in all
the popular shades including black.

North Main Street. 221-223 North Main Street.

The Corset Store.

LA GRECQUE SHAPE presents a corset base
suited to the most fastidious taste—in all its lines and
curves meeting in every detail fashion's need the chief
of which this season is for corsets that give a figure base
suited various styles from the Louis XV period of dress.
LA GRECQUE STYLE has not a defect since it is
flawless in fit and faultless in every part of the making.
\$1.00 to \$4.50 Each.

G. E. BLUEM,

221-223 NORTH MAIN STREET.
THE DRY GOOD, DRESS GOOD AND SUIT HOUSE.

Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar, the
original laxative cough syrup acts as a
cathartic on the bowels. It is
made from the tar gathered from the
pine trees of our own country, there-
fore is the best for children. It is
good for coughs, colds, croup, whoop-
ing cough, etc. Try our free offer.
Sold at all drug stores.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Horace Roscoe Wheeler, of Knox-
ville, in the county of Knox, and state
of Tennessee, will take notice that
Anna M. Wheeler did on the 24th day
of September, 1906, file her petition in
the office of the clerk of the court of
common pleas of Allen County, Ohio,
charging said Horace Roscoe Wheeler
with gross neglect of duty and ask-
ing that she may be divorced from
the said Horace Roscoe Wheeler, and
that she be given the custody,
of the three minor children and
reasonable alimony, which petition will
be for hearing on or after November
10th, 1906.

Dated Lima, Ohio, Sept. 25th, 1906.
ANNA M. WHEELER,
By Becker & Becker, her attorneys.
sep26w-th-6wks

APPLICATION FOR COMMUTATION

Notice is hereby given that at the
next meeting of Ohio State Board of
Pardons an application will be made
for the commutation of T. K. Wilkins,
convicted at the September term, 1905,
of the court of common pleas of Allen
county, of the crime of receiving stolen
money, knowing the same to be stolen
and sentenced to imprisonment in the
Ohio Penitentiary for the period of
five (5) years.
(Signed) T. K. WILKINS.
sep26w-th-3wks.

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

Advertisements occupying four
lines or less will be inserted in this
column for 25 cents for one inser-
tion, or 50 cents for three insertions,
the order to be accompanied by the
cash.

WANTED TO RENT—5 or more room
house between Wayne and Market
streets. Inquire at 523 E. Findlay
street. New phone 456A

WANTED—Mail carriers. November
examinations. Preparation free.
Franklin Institute, Rochester, N. Y.
90-4ced

WANTED—Girl for general house-
work; no washing or ironing. Call
at John Finley's, 209 south West
street.

WANTED—Girl for general house-
work in small family. Inquire at
the Michael Clothing & Shoe. Mrs.
Thos. Michael, 772 north Main
street.

WANTED—To buy a good horse and
buggy. Would like to trade a horse
and buggy for same. Call on or address
The Starr Piano Co., Masonic Bldg.,
Lima, Ohio. 2nd-417

WANTED—You to know there is a
good kitchen stove for sale at a
bargain at 714 W. High St.

WANTED—Girls to learn the cigar
making trade. Will pay \$3 per week
until learner can make more by
piece work. After trade has been
accomplished can earn from \$8 to
\$12 per week, depending entirely on
speed of worker. The Deibel-Wem-
mer Co. 207-11

WANTED—Kitchen help at the Hotel
Norval. 42-11

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—50 Rose Comb Bro.
Leghorns for \$25; 16 single com-
buff Orpingtons for \$12, thorough-
bred stock. Lot of other chickens
reasonable prices. One Chatham
hot air, 240 egg incubator, with turn-
ing trays; one Chatham brooder, 100
chick; one Victor hot water, 250 egg
incubator, will sell both incubators
and brooder for \$25. Call at 641 Ex-
ing avenue. 99-31-wk75-11

FOR SALE—"Favorite" hard coal
burner for sale cheap. Good condi-
tion. Inquire Glen Rohn, Buckeye
Pipe Line Co. 9-31

FOR SALE—One large nicked Gar-
land range, good as new, cost \$40.00
will sell for \$20.00, if sold this week.
Also dining room table and side-
board, cheap. Wm. F. Numan, 111
south Pierce St. 60-31

FOR SALE—A new Garland gas range,
a set of dining room furniture, one
mirror and a medicine chest. Call
in the morning at Steiner Flats,
3rd floor. M. Kuhn. 9-31

FOR SALE—Fine Holstein cow; will
be sold at a bargain; will be fresh
during this month. Call new tele-
phone No. 1268C. 9-31

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In a good neighborhood and on street
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OHIO DISTRICTS.

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uits Being Rapidly ed In the Indiana Courts.

mer, Ind., Sept. 26.—In the rt, in Blackford county, and rd City, Charles J. Melrose against the Milwaukee-Indi Gaq company demanding for \$20,250 on a mortgage the property in Blackford and nties. He also asked a de- release and an order directing of the property.

Money for Claims.
eral creditors of the Amazon any near Muncie will realize on then claims, unless some taken in court to have the ers pay in additional money- stock. The matter of claims- adjusted in the circuit court are county in receivership- and two mechanic's liens- only claims that will be paid- except those of the attorney- ver.

Other Indiana Notes.
Nickolson-McDermott Oil com- dmining a wildcat well on the ats farm, near the hamlet of , and south of Petersburg, in any, in the southwestern part . This test will be east and north of the Princeton field, - distance from developments at least 25 miles.

In Union township, Grant county, o Oil company's No. 17 on the

In Bloom township, Wood county, dardner & Kelley have drilled in a test well on the B. H. Chilcote farm, in rked on the oil map as the J. Shisk lare, in the northeast quarter of ction 26, and its production the first 24 hours under the pump was 50 barrels.

In Union township, Hancock county, A. N. Bryson and others No. 13 on the Amos Runkle farm, section 26, pumped 60 barrels. This is considered a fine well for that territory, and many new wells will be drilled on adjoining leases.

In Salem township, Auglaize county, A. M. & A. B. P. Straight have drilled in a 14 barrel pumper in No. 2 on the P. G. Herdial farm, section 19.

In Scott township, Sandusky county, E. B. Smith's No. 17 on his fee farm, section 26, pumped 30 barrels.

In Union township, Mercer county, Henri and Daisy Claus have a 6 barrel pumper in No. 3 C. S. Lemmon farm, section 25.

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You cannot possibly enjoy good health when the liver is inactive and the bowels constipated. You must keep the liver active. You must have daily action of bowels. Ask your doctor if this is not true. Ask him at the same time if you know a better laxative than Ayer's Pills. All vegetable, sugar-coated. We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines! J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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COPY OF TEXT

Sent By Palma to Taft and Bacon

Announcing He Intends to Resign and Refusing Peace Terms.

USELESS TO DISCUSS

Conditions With Them As They Have Made Up Their Minds.

Feels His Personal Dignity and Prestige Have Been Offended.

Havana, Sept. 26.—The following is the text of President Palma of yesterday to the American peace commissioners, Secretaries Taft and Bacon, announcing that he intends to resign the presidency and refusing the peace terms offered to him.

"Honorable Sirs.—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipts of your note of yesterday, in which you express in a general way your opinions and points of view, according to your own personal investigation, of the cause of the present rebellion in Cuba, its state and the means to finish it, in order to re-establish peace and order and public quiet in the country.

"I could raise some objections and prove them, to your estimate of the numbers of the armed insurgents, and the sympathy to which you consider them entitled. But it is useless now to enter upon a discussion of this kind in view of the course you have adopted and your resolution to make peace by all means.

"It is therefore my only purpose, in courteously replying to your note, to repeat here, in brief, what I expressed in the conference you kindly had with me last night; namely, that I consider the conditions you understand to be necessary for the rebels to lay down their arms, contrary to my personal dignity and prestige, and the government over which I preside and I have accordingly taken the irrevocable decision to present to congress my resignation of the office to which I was appointed by the will of the Cuban people at the last presidential election.

Appeal to His Patriotism.
Havana, Sept. 26.—A communication from Secretary Taft and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon, was taken to the place shortly after noon. It was understood to contain an urgent appeal to the patriotism of President Palma to reconsider his resignation and co-operate with the American peace commissioners. Senator Seayas, visited the American commissioners during the morning and presented his written observations on the situation.

Hold To Opinion.
Havana, Sept. 26.—The cabinet officers held a brief consultation with President Palma but afterwards they were generally uncommunicative with the exception of asserting that

HEALTH DEPENDS

On the Stomach. When It Is in bad shape the other organs are soon affected and your health is undermined. To keep it always strong and healthy you only need an occasional dose of

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Something that won't do in its place. It always cures and prevents Poor Appetite, Flatulency, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Costiveness, Female Ills, or Malaria, Fever and Ague.

the situation was unchanged. Secretary of Public Instruction Lamar, referring to the reports that President Palma had reconsidered his decision to resign said:

"That is very improbable. President Palma has already accepted our resignation and a letter announcing his resignation is already in the hand of Secretary Taft and Assistant Secretary Bacon."

A Lively Tussle.
with that old enemy of the race, Constipation, often ends in Appendicitis. To avoid all serious trouble with Stomach, Liver and Bowels, take Dr. J. W. Life Pills. They perfectly regulate these organs, without pain or discomfort, 25c at H. F. Vorkamp, druggist.

MISS BLAND ANNOUNCES A DISPLAY OF EARLY FALL HATS WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY AFTERNOONS, SEPTEMBER 26 AND 27.

JAMES H. CHAPMAN
Well Known Field Foreman, Died Suddenly Near Elida, Yesterday,

FROM HEART TROUBLE
Is Survived By Bereaved Widow and Two Sons—

58 Years of Age.
James Henry Chapman, a prominent citizen of Elida, who has been employed as a field foreman for the Ohio Oil Co., died suddenly shortly after three o'clock yesterday afternoon, his death resulting from a sudden and unexpected attack of heart trouble with which he was stricken while walking across a field about half a mile east of Elida and immediately north of the Ft. Wayne, Van Wert and Lima Traction line. He was discovered, when in a dying condition, by Sup't. Dickie, of the traction line who happened to be walking on the track when the aged man fell. Assistance and the aid of a physician were hastily summoned but life was extinct before the latter arrived on the scene.

The deceased was born in Beaver, Pa., and lived to the age of 58 years. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Messrs. P. R. and Earl K. Chapman. Arrangements for the funeral services have not been completed and cannot be announced before tomorrow.

A LESSON IN HEALTH.
Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. W. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

NIGHT SCHOOL
Of the Commercial Department of Lima College Begins Oct. 1st. It opens at 7 o'clock and continues two hours on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. The subjects taught are bookkeeping, penmanship, commercial arithmetic, commercial law and letter writing. The same advantages are presented in every department as in the day school. The object of the night school is to meet the wants of those who are employed during the day. The night school continues for six months at the following prices:

A six months course in bookkeeping, banking, penmanship, commercial arithmetic, commercial law and letter writing \$20.00
A complete course in stenography and typewriting \$20.00
Both courses \$36.00
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Money to loan, from one to 10 years on farm land; low rate interest.
60 farms for sale of different sizes in Auglaize, Allen and Hardin counties; and city property for sale. Room 25 Metropolitan block. New phone 1417M. 200-1478-21-s-w G. M. PEPPLE

FOR TYPHOON SUFFERERS.
By Associated Press.
Hong Kong, Sept. 26.—The Chinese subscription fund for the benefit of sufferers by the recent typhoon has received the sum of \$80,000. This includes an additional contribution of \$300,000 from the viceroy of Canton and 300 pounds sterling from Australia.

By Associated Press.
The Ladies' Aid society of the United Brethren church will meet with Mrs. Greenwalt, McPherson avenue, all day Thursday.

Lead pipe clutches usually turn out to be of tissue paper.

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ORPHIUM THEATRE.
Two crowded houses greeted the excellent show with a continual round of applause at the Orphium theatre last night. Every one who has witnessed this week's performance has nothing but praise for it. De Camo presenting Cora, the mental wonder, canine, is marvelous. This dog is gifted with almost human knowledge. You should not miss seeing this and many other feature acts, at the Orphium this week. Each lady attending the Orphium at any performance this week will receive a chance on a handsome silk dress. Winner to select their own pattern. See it at Blum's dry goods store.

Children's prize matinee Saturday. See prizes in Macdonald's jewelry store window Friday night special. Some of Lima's best local talent will appear Mr. Marion Vermillion, Lima's great basso, will be one of the big features, besides other numbers in connection with the Orphium's great bill Friday night.

THE BIG SALE OF Curtains and Draperies at One-Third Below Regular Price.

Which started this morning has been a pronounced success. Values like these are so decidedly unusual that customers can see at a glance the pronounced saving of this sale—and we want right here to again emphasize the fact it will pay you to accept this store's statement at par. We want your confidence. We want you to believe in what we say. And we could ill afford to chill your growing friendliness for us by misrepresentation.

This Sale Will Continue Throughout the Week

And the slightest attention to the detail following will clearly show you it will pay you to look at the various offerings:

48c FOR 65c	Nottingham Lace Curtains 2½ yards long, 36 inches wide.	\$2.25 FOR \$3.00	Saxony Lace Curtains, fine new patterns.
65c FOR 85c	Nottingham Lace Curtains, beautiful floral designs.	\$1.96 FOR \$3.00	Saxony Lace Curtains, exquisite new patterns.
75c FOR \$1.00	Nottingham Lace Curtains, very choice patterns.	\$3.95 FOR \$5.00	Finest Saxony Curtains, soft and lacy.
98c FOR \$1.25	Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, 60 in. wide.	\$4.00 FOR \$5.50	Cable Cord Curtains, plain with fine border.
\$1.50 FOR \$2.50	Saxony Lace Curtains, button hole edge.	\$5.00 FOR \$7.50	Irish Point Curtains, latest novelties.

Vigorous Continued Clearance Sale of the A. J. Schmidt Knit Underwear.

Don't let this warm weather blind you to the immediate need of underwear. To the fact that too little later on you will have to buy at regular prices just such garments as during the clearance are

BEING SOLD AT EASILY 60 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR

and not a thing wrong with this underwear except that it don't fit in with our plans. Its good clean, honest merchandise which we are going to close out now, warm weather or no, and you are clearly neglecting your opportunity if you don't save 40c out of every dollar you would ordinarily have to pay for exactly the same goods. Just look carefully through these prices and we feel sure you'll be here tomorrow for some of the items—some especially good values in children's wear as well as women's and men's.

These Prices Will Almost Cut Your Fall Underwear Bill in Half.

39c FOR 50c	Men's Jersey Ribbed Cotton Underwear.	21c FOR 35c	Ladies' heavy ribbed cotton underwear.
35c FOR 50c	Men's heavy Jersey Knit fleeced underwear extra quality.	38c FOR 50c	Ladies' heavy fleeced underwear.
43c FOR 50c	Men's heavy weight Merino underwear.	89c FOR \$1.25	Ladies' extra good union suits.
79c FOR \$1.00	Men's non-shrinkable wool underwear.	10c FOR 15c	Children's heavy fleeced cotton underwear.
89c FOR \$1.25	Men's natural grey mixed underwear.	21c FOR 25c AND 30c	boys' fleeced cotton underwear.
89c FOR \$1.25	Children's fine union suits.	23c FOR 39c	Misses' cotton ribbed union suits.

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CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly assisted us in the hour of sorrow, and Rev. Davis for his appropriate sermon; also the choir and all those who so kindly contributed their floral offerings and especially Co. C, for taking charge of the funeral.
DOLLIE BOWEN, mother.
BLANCH SCHRIDER, sister.
ARTHUR MCURDY, brother.

It is a well known medical fact that pine resin is most effective in the treatment of diseases of the bladder and kidneys. Sufferers from back ache and other troubles due to faulty action of the kidneys find relief in the use of Pine-oids. \$1.00 buys 30 days treatment. Sold at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

SILVER MEDAL CONTEST.
The silver medal contest of the W. C. T. U. and oratorical contest at Calvary Reformed church, corner High and Park avenue, will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30.

For Ladies—A handsome silk dress for the lucky one. Orphium theatre this week. 8-61



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To Her Who Waits

BY BEATRICE STURGES

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"Nothing ever happens in this family," grumbled Molly Evans as she sat by the window and watched an automobile disappear in a cloud of dust. She knew the girls who had just passed on the machine. They had waved their hands at her, but she wished they hadn't. She wished she had a car of her own. It was no fun to watch other people enjoy themselves.

"You expect too much," replied her sister Kate, who sat near by, trying to make a last summer's dress look like new. "There are lots of things that might happen that you wouldn't like at all."

Kate was older than Molly and had managed to evolve for herself a philosophy that made life easier for her than for her restless sister.

"Just give up and stop expecting things, and they will come to you without any trouble," she added, with a serenity which it must be confessed, scarcely matched her inmost feelings at that moment, for it is not the easiest thing in the world to make a last year's sleeve appear as the latest fashion model.

"Oh, that's all very well to talk, Kate," burst in Molly, "but what good has it ever done? Here we are grubbing along in the same old humdrum way. You've always been an angel and given up to other people, but you're not any nearer your ambition than ever, and just look at me!"

Kate did look at her affectionately. Molly was nineteen and Kate two years older. They had taken care of themselves for four years, Molly by teaching music and a class of little children, as their town had no kindergarten, and Kate by fine sewing and embroidery. The latter's ambition was to be a trained nurse, but that took so much time and she could not afford to give up her present income even for the prospect of a better one in years to come. She was always called upon when there was sickness and responded cheerfully, though usually her compensation consisted solely of thanks verbally expressed.

"Never mind, dear," replied the optimistic Kate. "Something will happen before you think—maybe today. Everything comes to her who waits. Suppose you walk over to Ferncliff and take this waft to Mrs. Dean. I promised it to her today, and it's all done up ready to go."

Molly arose and shook her curly brown head, smoothed out her pink frock and took the package. She kissed Kate before she started out, but there wasn't much animation in her walk.

"Something nice is on the way," said Kate. "I feel it in my bones." Molly laughed and ran down the steps. She broke off a big spray of lilacs as she passed the bush by the gate and carried it along with her. The scent of the blossoms brought memories that were both sweet and sad. A year ago, leaning over the gate in the moonlight by that same lilac bush, Dick Foster had first said, "Molly, I love you," and a new world of sweetness and life had been opened for her. Two months ago they had quarreled and separated. Why? Why do lovers ever quarrel? Do they know? Does anybody know? The most foolish and futile reasons on earth—jealousy, false pride and sometimes a tentative desire to gain the mastery. With Molly and Dick it was mostly jealousy, with hardly any foundation, and after that a foolish resolve on the part of each not to give in.

"I will never send for you," declared Molly.

And that was the situation, and that was why Molly Evans, young and pretty and healthy, with every right to be happy, was taking a lonely walk and feeling herself the most abused girl in the world.

"Maybe Kate is right," she thought to herself. "I'll do things for other people and try to forget myself. I think I'd like to be a nun anyway! I love those white caps."

A third looking woman passed her just then, and a sudden impulse made Molly hand the lilac spray to her. The woman looked surprised, but Molly hurried on without waiting for thanks. As she approached a little cottage that stood near the road she heard a child's screams, and the same impulse made her rush around the house in the direction of the noise. There in the kitchen stood a terrified little girl trying to put out a fire which had started from some burning oil and which had just leaped to the child's dress as Molly burst in the door. To snatch a rug from the floor and put out the latter was the work of an instant, and in a few moments more the other flames were quenched. After it was all over the neighbors rushed in and explained that the little girl kept house while her mother went out to work. The damage was slight, and neither Molly nor the child was hurt, but when Miss Evans started out again she was a bit pale and shaky.

"Well, something happened, anyway," she told herself as she went along.

She left the package at Ferncliff, which was the finest estate in the neighborhood and stood not far from Dick Foster's home. She decided to walk through the village on the way back and had passed the postoffice, the drug store of which the town had but one, and had stopped to look in the window of the little book-shop, where some new music was displayed, when she heard a commotion and turned around to see people hurrying in all directions.

"A runaway," was her first thought, and she started to step into the store for safety when she noticed a big black dog approaching and barking excitedly. "What's that?" she called.

And so it was, yelping, snapping at everything, nothing at all. Directly across from where Molly stood was an open grass square where a dozen little children, some hardly more than babies, were playing. Toward them he came, and Molly's heart grew cold within her. Not a man moved except to throw a stone at the mad beast, and even the little ones seemed oblivious of the danger that threatened them.

Leaping, the dog gained the square, and the next instant the maddened beast had leaped at Molly with some heinous child, but Molly was there as soon as he was. Fear had lent wings to her feet, and she stood directly in his path, stooped down, caught his head in her dress skirt and fell upon her knees, holding him down while she screamed for help. Scores of people rushed up then. Some snatched the children, some picked up Molly, others stood and looked, while one man dispatched the dog with a revolver. A chorus of grateful mothers assailed her ears, but she was so faint and weak she felt only a desire to get home and weep on Kate's sympathetic neck. Just then the 5:30 train from New York pulled in, and the passengers promptly stepped across the tracks to the square to see the excitement. One young man who shouldered his way through the crowd caught her eye.

"Oh, Dick," she exclaimed. "I'm so glad you've come!" and then fell limply into his outstretched arms before them all.

He drove her home very slowly, for they had a great deal to say, and, of course, Dick had to bring out the ring again from his pocket and put it on Molly's finger, and Molly had to tell him how silly and unhappy she had been, and Dick had to tell her something to the same effect about himself, and all that took considerable time.

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A remarkable example of the voracity of a trout, accompanied by fatal results, has just come to light. A young man employed at Mr. Sargent's mill at Tipton, St. John, on the river Otter, noticed a fine trout lying dead in the mill race. He got the fish out and was astonished to find that tightly twisted in the trout's extraordinary fashion into the trout's gills was an eel, which had undoubtedly strangled its captor. But this was not all. Firmly stuck in the mouth of the eel was a little fish, probably a stickleback, which, being too big for the eel to swallow, had caused its death also. All three fish were very recently dead, and it was quite clear that the eel, which was a foot long, had attempted to swallow the stickleback, but had only succeeded in getting its head far enough down to choke itself. The trout, no doubt, seeing the eel in difficulties, had attacked it and attempted to swallow it, with the result that his slippery, writhing victim had managed to choke him by entangling itself up in a wonderful way in its captor's gills. Thus the little stickleback choked the eel, which in its turn strangled the trout.—London Telegraph.

The Retort Genial.

A southern woman who is now past her prime, but whose ready wit still makes her a welcome guest wherever she goes, tells the following story about an encounter with what she terms a "northern iceberg." She was at a musical entertainment at a private house in New York, and at the end of a song which had been delightfully rendered she turned with an exclamation of pleasure to a lady who sat near and whom she knew by sight, but had never met.

The woman addressed looked at her in surprise for a moment and then asked coldly, "Have I the pleasure of knowing you?"

"No," was the answer, "but I felt at liberty to speak to you on account of your being under such very great obligations to me."

"Will you have the goodness to explain what you mean?" said the New York woman haughtily.

"Merely that I refused your husband twenty-five years ago," replied the little southerner as she moved away to seek a more congenial atmosphere.

The Great Lantern Fly.

One of the largest and most curious of the many luminous or lamp bearing insects is the great lantern fly, a species of the firefly peculiar to central and northern South America. The great lantern is hardly as large as the common dragon fly or "snake feeder," but like that creature it has luciferous wings and an elongated abdomen. In Central America, particularly in Costa Rica and Panama, the Indians capture them by thousands, using them as decorations for their headresses, saddles, etc. The Frenchman Renard who visited Guatemala in 1862 declared that the Indians used lantern flies and other luminous insects much in the same manner that we do torches and lanterns and that by the light the insects gave out they were able to find their way through dark woods and swamps.

Excursion to Muncie and Lafayette, Ind.

Lake Erie and Western R. R., Sunday, Sept. 30th 1906. \$1.00 to Muncie, \$1.50 to Lafayette. Train leaves at 1:30 a. m. Returning leaves Lafayette at 6:30 p. m.; Muncie at 9:15 p. m. For particulars see

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WATERLOO.

Orchestra Was Specially Blamed For the Downfall of Napoleon.

Napoleon would have won the battle of Waterloo had the orchestra prevented the junction of the Prussians with the English army, because he would not have had to fight two battles at once. Few persons realize that the so-called battle of Waterloo was in reality a double battle, somewhat like Jena and Austerlitz. Napoleon fought one battle at Waterloo against the English. On the arrival of the Prussians he was forced to go in person toward Planchenoit and there fight another battle against the Prussian army, leaving to Ney the conduct of the troops at Waterloo. It is a well known maxim in war that a very great or decisive victory cannot be gained unless one commander makes a serious blunder of which the other takes immediate advantage. It is very evident that the fact of the emperor having to fight two battles at once instead of concentrating his attention on one alone enormously increased the possibility of a mistake. Moreover, Napoleon did not have the able lieutenants of his former campaigns. Desaix, Kleber, Lannes and Bessieres were dead, Massena and MacDonald had taken the oath of allegiance to the Bourbons, and Murat had split with the emperor. Napoleon's personal attention was therefore imperative. To Grouchy alone all blame must be attributed, for had he prevented the union of the Prussians with the English the emperor would have had to fight only one battle at a time and could have given his entire personal attention to that one battle.

In the second place, Napoleon would not have been forced to fight with 71,047 men against two armies numbering about 125,000—nearly two to one against him. He would have had 71,947 good soldiers pitted against a raw, undisciplined army of 67,061 men under the Duke of Wellington, which was not only inferior in mere numbers, but far inferior in morale and experience. The chances would have been greatly in favor of the French. Then, too, the French army was commanded by the acknowledged master of modern warfare, whose brilliant successes at Rivoli, Marengo, Austerlitz, Jena, Friedland, Wagram, the Borodino and Dresden had dazzled the whole world. Until then Napoleon had never been defeated in any great decisive battle except Leipzig, and the French were strong in their confidence of the emperor's success. Two of the best writers on the Waterloo campaign, Shaw-Kennedy and Sibourne, both Englishmen, concur in saying that had Grouchy kept the Prussians away the English army would have been badly beaten. This view is also held by the ablest writer of all, Mr. Royle.—United Service Review.

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A southern woman who is now past her prime, but whose ready wit still makes her a welcome guest wherever she goes, tells the following story about an encounter with what she terms a "northern iceberg." She was at a musical entertainment at a private house in New York, and at the end of a song which had been delightfully rendered she turned with an exclamation of pleasure to a lady who sat near and whom she knew by sight, but had never met.

The woman addressed looked at her in surprise for a moment and then asked coldly, "Have I the pleasure of knowing you?"

"No," was the answer, "but I felt at liberty to speak to you on account of your being under such very great obligations to me."

"Will you have the goodness to explain what you mean?" said the New York woman haughtily.

"Merely that I refused your husband twenty-five years ago," replied the little southerner as she moved away to seek a more congenial atmosphere.

The Great Lantern Fly.

One of the largest and most curious of the many luminous or lamp bearing insects is the great lantern fly, a species of the firefly peculiar to central and northern South America. The great lantern is hardly as large as the common dragon fly or "snake feeder," but like that creature it has luciferous wings and an elongated abdomen. In Central America, particularly in Costa Rica and Panama, the Indians capture them by thousands, using them as decorations for their headresses, saddles, etc. The Frenchman Renard who visited Guatemala in 1862 declared that the Indians used lantern flies and other luminous insects much in the same manner that we do torches and lanterns and that by the light the insects gave out they were able to find their way through dark woods and swamps.

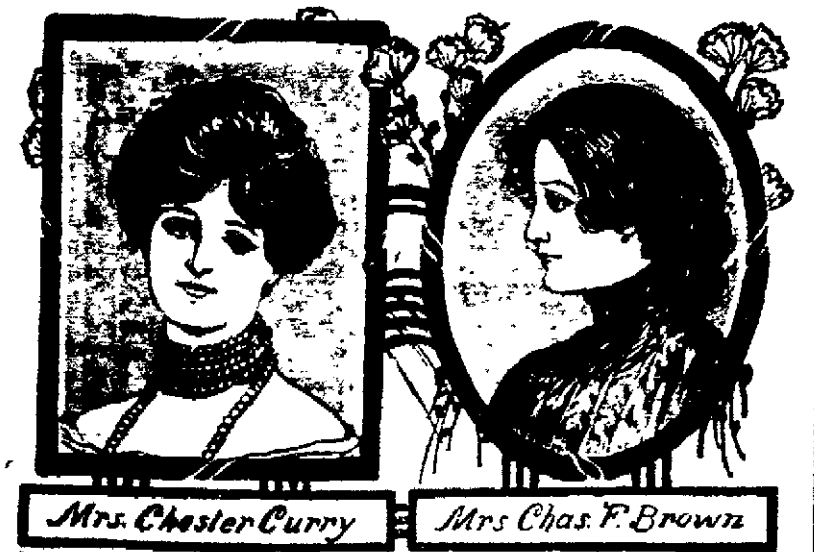
Excursion to Muncie and Lafayette, Ind.

Lake Erie and Western R. R., Sunday, Sept. 30th 1906. \$1.00 to Muncie, \$1.50 to Lafayette. Train leaves at 1:30 a. m. Returning leaves Lafayette at 6:30 p. m.; Muncie at 9:15 p. m. For particulars see

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Make Unhappy Homes—Their Condition Irritates Both Husband and Children—How Thousands of Mothers Have Been Saved From Nervous Prostration and Made Strong and Well.



Mrs. Chester Curry Mrs. Chas. F. Brown

A nervous, irritable mother, often on the verge of hysteria, is unfit to care for children; it ruins a child's disposition and reacts upon herself. The trouble between children and their mothers too often is due to the fact that the mother has some female weakness, and she is entirely unfit to bear the strain upon her nerves that governing children involves; it is impossible for her to do anything calmly.

The life of women set like a firebrand upon the nerves, consequently millions of the nervous prostration, nervous despondency, "the blues," sleeplessness, and nervous irritability of women arise from some derangement of the female organism.

You experience fits of depression with restlessness, alternating with extreme irritability. Are your spirits easily affected, so that one minute you laugh, and the next minute you feel like crying?

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If so, your nerves are in a shattered condition, and you are threatened with nervous prostration.

Proof is monumental that nothing in the world is better for nervous prostration than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, thousands and thousands of women can testify to this fact.

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Even if precaution takes a little longer, does it not pay when it tends to prevent illness?

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WORTH CONSIDERING.

Women bring upon themselves much suffering for which they alone are to blame. To the average housekeeper the mere fact of getting breakfast without first taking some nourishing food herself, is enough to cause in her constitutional weakness, and to some it may prove a source of almost complete exhaustion.

If after the toilet is made in the morning a woman would eat perhaps a banana or apple, and sip a glass of milk or other nourishing drink, she would find it did much toward keeping up her strength through the day. To "stay the stomach" before exercise in the morning is all that is necessary.

When breakfast is over there should be no rush to do the dishes—they can wait at a future date, while mamma recovers.

Allow the stomach to commence on its process of digestion without the physical rushing.

Then, again, after the dishes have been wiped up, the work may be done sitting, instead of standing, thus resting the back and saving the abdominal organs from a continuous strain.

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LEAVE LIMA	FOR	ARRIVE LIMA
8:02 a.m.	Bluffton	8:30 a.m.
10:02 a.m.	Findlay	10:30 a.m.
12:02 p.m.	Findlay	12:30 p.m.
2:02 p.m.	Mortimer	2:30 p.m.
4:02 p.m.	N. Baltimore	4:30 p.m.
6:02 p.m.	Cuyahoga	6:30 p.m.
8:02 p.m.	Portage	8:30 p.m.
	Bowling Gr.	
	Maumee	
	Toledo	10:35 p.m.

Connecting at Toledo for Detroit, Mt. Clemens, Port Huron, Kalamazoo, Bryan, Wauson, Adrian, Pioneer, Fremont, Lakeside, Norwalk, Sandusky, Vermillion, Lorain, Elyria, Oberlin and Cleveland.

LEAVE LIMA	FOR	ARRIVE LIMA
8:35 a.m.	Wapakoneta	7:57 a.m.
10:35 a.m.	St. Marys	9:57 a.m.
12:35 p.m.	Celina	11:57 a.m.
2:35 p.m.	Minster	1:57 p.m.
4:35 p.m.	New Bremen	3:57 p.m.
6:35 p.m.	Sidney	5:57 p.m.
8:35 p.m.	Piqua	7:57 p.m.
	Troy	
	Dayton	
	Wapak only	
	Indianapolis	
	Cincinnati	

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Local Trains.

FOR Beaverdam, Bluffton, Mt. Cory, Rawson, Findlay and all country stops leave Lima at 5:57 a.m., 7:05, 9:05, 11:05, 1:05 p.m., 3:05, 5:05, 7:05, 9:05, 10:10, and 11:05 p.m. Ask Agents for information.

ERIE RAILROAD. In effect June 24, 1906. EAST BOUND.

No. 98	New York express	8:48 a.m.
x22	Marion-Columbus acc.	8:21 a.m.
4	New York & Boston vestibule limited	8:25 p.m.
x14	Wells Fargo Ex.	8:46 p.m.
x10	Chautauque & Buffalo limited	11:06 p.m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 7	Chicago Express	12:35 a.m.
9	Chicago limited	2:03 a.m.
x21	Chicago acc.	8:42 a.m.
3	Chicago vestibule lim.	11:47 a.m.
x1	Wells Fargo Ex.	4:41 p.m.

Daily except Sunday. Daily except Monday. Phone No. 69-5. W. S. MORRISON, Ticket Agt. O. L. ENOS, T. P. A., Marion, O.

CINCINNATI, HAMILTON & DAYTON. NORTH BOUND.

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6	daily	11:50 a.m.
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NAPOLEON'S ACCOUNT BOOK

Some Entries Made During His Exile
at St. Helena.There was recently sold in London
the last book of accounts of Napoleon
at St. Helena, from 1815 to 1821. The
expenses are classified by month and
were kept by Napoleon, the emperor's
maître d'hôtel, with entries by Mont-
bazon.There are many corrections in pencil
by the august exile himself, for he
verified all the accounts and changed
English money, where it was used, into
francs. Some of the entries are highly
interesting. Thus, on Aug. 15, 1818,
the fête of the emperor, here is one by
Montbazon: "Artificial flowers, £5. Ex-
traordinary expenses, £1.55."Napoleon's resources at St. Helena
were very modest, but his tastes, as
regarded their prices, never forgot
that he was an emperor—though an
exiled one. Among other occupations
to while away the time that hung so
heavily on his hands, Napoleon went
in for gardening, and among the en-
tries are found: "Four watering cans,
£1.88; 2 pairs of primers, £3.2 axes,
£4.10s."—prices which look as if the
exile was simply regarded as a subject
for fleecing. "For mending the emper-
or's bed" £2 is charged.Toward the end of his life Napoleon's
nourishment consisted almost entirely
of chickens, pigeons, and eggs, and
there are numerous entries for medi-
cines. In March, 1821, for instance,
thirty bottles of sirup, one case of
prunes, two cases of Burgundy plums;
in April, ten bottles of sirup, eight doz-
en oranges, eight dozen lemons.—Lon-
don Globe.

BAD CROP YEARS.

When Birds and Animals Do Not
Mate at the Mating Season."When birds and animals do not
mate at the mating season, it is a sign
that a bad year is coming," said a farm-
er."Quails, gophers, rabbits and squir-
rels all refuse to mate in certain
years. These years afterward turn
out to be bad ones. The quails are
particularly weather wise. By instinct
the little wild creatures know that for
lack of rain or for some other reason
there is to be a grass famine and a
seed famine, and instead of pairing off
and mating and setting up housekeep-
ing in little families of two, they re-
main unmated in the large bands in
which they have down all winter, liv-
ing, as it were, a kind of apartment
house life. That year inevitably turns
out a bad one, though the bachelor and
spinster quails, with a good deal of
pecking and scratching, manage to get
enough to eat. But to feed families of
little ones in such a famine year would
be impossible."In California the squirrels in a fam-
ine year not only do not mate; they do
not even live. They become dormant.
As by a miracle, they remain dormant
until a season of plenty comes with
the next winter's rains."—Exchange.

For Her Welfare.

Mrs. Goodheart had made up her
mind that most of the so called charity
of the present day was not, strictly
speaking, charity at all. Whoever gave,
she had concluded, did so for the pleas-
ant sensation of seeing his or her
name figure on subscription lists, and
she did not agree with this ostentation."Here, my good man," she said one
day last week to a man who had beg-
ged alms of her, "here is a threepenny
piece, and please to understand that I
do not give this because I hope to be
rewarded for my charity some day,
but because it gives me pleasure to
do so."The burly beggar looked dubiously at
the tiny silver coin."Look 'ere, mum," he said. "In this
ere wicked world we don't often get
the chance to enjoy ourselves. Why
not make it a shillin' an' 'ave a real
good time?"—London Tit-Bits.

Important Correction.

Under the terror in France people
learned to be excessively cautious in
all they said and still more cautious in
what they wrote.An old letter is said to be in exist-
ence of the revolutionary period in
which the author had at first written to
a friend, "I write under the reign of a
great emotion."Then, apparently reflecting that it
was dangerous to speak of "reigns" at
such an epoch, he amended the sen-
tence thus:
"I write under the republic of a
great emotion."

Forethought.

"That fellow Mulkey you were en-
gaged to at one time may have some
of your old love letters, may he not?"
asked the husband. "And aren't you
afraid he might be end enough to?"
"Not a bit," replied the wife deci-
sively. "He knows I've got a trunkful
of his love letters to reciprocate if he
ever does."—Judge.

Helped His Ambition.

"Thank you, judge," said the prison-
er sentenced to thirty days on bread
and water.Seeing that the magistrate was puz-
zled, he explained that he had had de-
sired to try the simple life, but lacked
the courage to begin.—Philadelphia
Ledger.

An Exception.

Mrs. Pargreen—Is 13 always an un-
lucky number?
Not when you hold all of the trumps
in a game of whist.—Kansas City In-
dependent.

Diagnosis.

Knicker—My wife says she feels like
an old nag. Becker—Then the only cure
is to buy her some new ones.—New
York Sun.

A BOLD STEP.

To overcome the well-grounded and reasonable objections of the
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whole world, a full and complete list of all the ingredients entering
into the composition of his widely celebrated medicines. Thus he has
taken his numerous patrons and patients into his full confidence. Thus
too he has absolutely and completely removed his medicines from among
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termined to completely disarm his assail-
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all the different schools of practice,
containing very numerous extracts from
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agents or other poisonous or injurious
agents and that they are made from
native, medicinal roots of great value;
also that some of the most valuable in-
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overworked, "run-down," nervous and
debilitated women, were employed, long
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fact, one of the most valuable medi-
cinal plants entering into the compo-
sition of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescrip-
tion was known to the Indians as
"Squaw-Weed."Our knowledge of the
use of not a few of our most valuable
native, medicinal plants was gained
from the Indians.As made up by improved and exact
processes, and with the use of specially
designed chemical apparatus, the "Fa-
vorite Prescription" is a most efficient
remedy for regulating all the womanly
functions, correcting all the womanly
pimples, eruptions and blemishes, as
well as the painful periods, toning up
the nerves and bringing about a perfect
state of health.MEN AND WOMEN
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Address: Van Camp Packing Company, Indianapolis, Ind.RECIPE
Van Camp's Chocolate Fudge
Van Camp Cream - 1/2 lb.
1 cup granulated sugar - 1/2 lb.
2 level teaspoonfuls cocoa - 1/2 lb.
2 level teaspoonfuls butter - 1/2 lb.
6 cups milk - 1/2 lb.
1 teaspoonful vanilla - 1/2 lb.
For eight people - 1/2 lb.
Put two cups of granulated sugar and one-fourth a cup of Van Camp's Sterilized Cream diluted with one-fourth a cup of milk in a small saucepan. Boil five minutes, stirring occasionally, five minutes; add two level teaspoonfuls of cocoa, and two level teaspoonfuls of butter and cook until, when tried with a spoon, it is thick and creamy. Then add half a cup of milk and mix in pieces, and let it stand until cooled a little then add a teaspoonful of vanilla or fruit and beat until the mixture thickens. Turn into a pan lined with paper. When set, score for cutting.

Van Camp's Sterilized Cream 10c

SALOONS HANG ON.

Surrender of Licenses Does
Not Take Place.Columbus, O., Sept. 26.—The ex-
pected surrender of Bow law licenses,
following the increase of the saloon
tax under the Aiken law to \$1,000, has
not been realized. An unexpectedly
large number of saloons continued
business under the increase, and the
liquor department officials in the state
auditor's office predicted that many
would find it unprofitable and go out
of the business. More than half the

Lame Back.

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EXCURSION TO TOLEDO

On Account of the Knights Templar
Conclave, Sept. 25-26th.The annual conclave of the Knights
Templar of Ohio will be held in To-
ledo next Tuesday and Wednesday,
September 25th and 26th.The big Knights Templar parade,
with thousands of uniformed knights in
parade, will occur Wednesday.The Western Ohio lands passengers
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and has seven fast limiteds to Toledo
every day, and the same running
every day, and the same number re-
turning. For this occasion the West-
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good going Tuesday and Wednesday
and returning Thursday, for \$1.75 from
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The Great Italian SopranoHARRY NOME,
ComedianBURTON & HANKIN,
Comedy Sketch.ETHEL MAY,
Illustrated Songs.The Wonderful Colonialscope Mo-
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each child receives a present. Special
performance Sunday night, 8:15. Sou-
venir night, Tuesday. Each person at-
tending the Colonial this week is en-
titled to a vote for the most popular
lady in Lima—a handsome present will
be given to the lady who receives the
most votes.

EXTRA ATTRACTION THURSDAY

EVENING—Prof. Summer will play
the entire show blindfolded with gloves
and an a cover over the piano keys.

THE COLONIAL FOR US.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate court in and for Al-
len county, Ohio. Charles E. Lynch,
as Adm., etc., plaintiff, vs The Allen
County Building and Loan Association
company, et al., defendants. Case No
9624Arenia Pugh, who resides at Stella,
Richardson county, State of Nebraska,
and Nellie Wade, Hazel Wade, Lulu
Wade and Earl Wade, minors, whose
place of residence is unknown, will
take notice that Charles E. Lynch, as
administrator of the estate of Luzenia
Ware Smith, deceased, on the 18th day
of September, 1906, filed his petition in
the probate court of Allen county,
Ohio, alleging that the personal estate
of said decedent is insufficient to pay
her debts and the charges of adminis-
trating her estate, that she died
seized in fee simple of the following
described real estate, situate in the
County of Allen and State of Ohio,
to-wit: Commencing at a point One
Hundred Five and one-half (105 1/2) feet
south of a point on the north line of
section thirty (30), town three (3)
south, range seven (7) east, said point
being one hundred and three (103)
feet west of the northeast corner of
the north half (1/2) of the northwest
quarter (1/4) of the northwest quarter
(1/4) of said section thirty (30); thence
west two hundred (200) feet; thence
south fifty-five and one-half (55 1/2)
feet; thence east two hundred (200)
feet; thence north fifty-five and one-
half (55 1/2) feet to the place of be-
ginning, being lot number two (2) of
the sub-division of part of the north-
west quarter (1/4) of section thirty
(30), town three (3) south, range
seven (7) east, numbered for taxable
purposes.That Thomas Smith the widower of
said decedent is entitled to dower in
said real estate and that The Allen
County Building and Loan Association
company, Julius V. Jones, and Jones
and Williams' each claim to hold a
mortgage thereon.The prayer of the petition is for
the assignment of dower in said prop-
erty; that the said parties claiming to
hold said mortgage be required to an-
swer setting forth their mortgage liens
thereon, and that said property be sold
to pay the debts and charges afore-
said; that Arenia Pugh and said minors
Nellie Wade, Hazel Wade, Lulu Wade
and Earl Wade are hereby notified
that they have been made parties de-
fendant to said petition, and that they
are required to answer the same on or
before the 10th day of November,
1906.CHARLES E. LYNCH,
Administrator of the estate of Lu-
zenia Wade Smith, deceased.JOHN W. ROBY, Attorney.
sep 18-2w-6wks

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received
at the office of the board of public ser-
vice, of Lima, Ohio, until 10 a. m. (12)
o'clock, (noon) October 15th, 1906, for
the installation at the city central
pumping station of a pump or pumps
capable of putting five or six million
gallons of water per day (24 hours)
into the city distributing mains
against a normal pressure of forty (40)
pounds, and so equipped as to provide
for running the pressure up to seven
ty (70) pounds to meet the require-
ments of fire pressure.Bidders will be required to acquaint
themselves with the power equipment
now installed at the said pumping
station and submit their own plans
and specifications for accomplishing
the required results.A certified check for five hundred
dollars (\$500.00) to the secretary of
the board as evidence of good faith to
execute a contract must accompany
each bid. The board reserves the
right to reject any or all bids.L. L. CRUMRINE, Sec'y.
Sep-18-2w-6wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of David Huggett, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed
and qualified as administrator with
will annexed of the estate of David
Huggett late of Allen county, Ohio,
deceased. Dated this 15th day of Sep-
tember, A. D. 1906.ROBERT P. JONES.
JOHN W. ROBY, Atty.

sep-18-3wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Puella Hancock, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed
and qualified as administrator of the
estate of Puella Hancock, late of
Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated
this 6th day of September, A. D. 1906.W. B. CRAIG.
4-3wks

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 12699; ex. doc. 4; page
12699. G. W. Harner, et al., vs. Mary
Dougherty, et al., defendant, Allen
County Pleas.By virtue of order of sale, issued
from the court of Common Pleas, of
Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed,
I will offer for sale at the east door
of the court house, in Lima, Allen
County, Ohio, on Saturday, September
29th, 1906, between the hours of 10
a. m. o'clock and 12 o'clock p. m., the
following described lands and ten-
ements, situated in the City of Lima,
Allen County, State of Ohio, and de-
scribed as follows, to-wit:Inlot number three thousand and
sixteen (3016) in Kibby's sub-division
of outlot number two hundred and
thirty-four (234) in the City of Lima,
Allen County, Ohio, residence number
to the same being 758 Greenlawn ave-
nue.Appraised at \$1,700. Terms of sale,
cash.HENRY VAN GUNTER,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio,
Lima, Ohio, August 30th, 1906.

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CONFERENCE

Of the Christian Church to Open at Cairo.

The sixty-eighth annual session of the Northwestern Ohio Christian Conference will open next Friday in the Christian church at Cairo and will last over until the following Wednesday. Ministerial and lay delegates will be present from about fifty churches in this part of the state. Probate Judge A. M. Heidelberg, of Ottawa, who is president of the conference, will be in charge at the various sessions.

THE IDLER.

Mr. Howard Longworth returned last night from the Canadian oil field, and reports great activity for many miles northeast of the Tilbury development. The Mancill well, the farthest northeast development, is making 9 bbls. an hour, natural, and the Elliott well on the Lecoque farm, which is ahead of developments and 2 miles directly east of the Tilbury pool, is being mystified, though the general belief is that it is a producer. The pioneer firm of Church, Norton and Bowley has been dissolved. They have a large acreage of valuable leases.

On Sunday afternoon, Mr. W. C. Long, of Genoa, Nebraska, and Miss Vina Mowery, will be married at the bride's home, 624 north Charles street.

Mr. Long has been here for some time visiting his mother, who has reached the mature age of 93 years. He and his bride will return to Genoa in the spring.

The groom-to-be is an intimate friend of the Hon. W. J. Bryan, who has expressed regret that he cannot attend the nuptial ceremony.

George Raynes, formerly of the Arion Trio, who is interested with Glen R. Crump, in the productions of the comic opera "Loveland," arrived in the city last evening, from Flint, Mich. He will go from this city to Portland, where the opera will be produced as a lodge benefit in a few weeks.

WERE YOU THERE?

People have certainly got the vaudeville craze in Lima. We dropped into the Colonial last night and the place was packed and another large crowd waiting to get in, but they all got their money's worth, as the Colonial has one of the best shows ever seen in Lima. The management announce another amateur contest for Friday night and a special matinee for children Saturday, when every child will receive a present.

ATTEND THE BIG STOCK SALE

OF W. B. BERRYMAN, OPPOSITE McBETH PARK, MONDAY, OCT. 1ST.

MRS. GEORGIA YOUNG.

Who is demonstrating Durkee's Salad Dressing at The Townsend Grocery Co., is certainly an artist at making salads. We invite you to call and see and sample her goods.

HEARST LEADS In Race for Nomination for Governor.

Democracy of New York Torn With Dissensions of Serious Nature.

PENDING SETTLEMENT

Of Contests For Delegates Convention is Held Until Tonight.

Platform As Indicated In Outline Will Be Extreme One.

Buffalo, Sept. 25.—After a strenuous day and night of preliminary politics the New York state democratic convention comes to its critical situation today with everything pointing to the nomination of Wm. R. Hearst for governor.

District Attorney Jerome and former Mayor Osborne, of Auburn, are both quoted as threatening denunciatory speeches in the convention and advising the naming of an opposing ticket. Definite knowledge of any such plan, however, is lacking.

The necessary preliminary work was taken up as soon as the brief session of yesterday was ended, and it was prosecuted with energy during the night. The committee on resolutions worked until one o'clock before a product to its liking was effected. It was early decided that the platform should contain a plank on Wm. J. Bryan, also that it should declare in favor of municipal ownership of public utilities, the latter being qualified by a local option clause.

When the platform sub-committee finished the preliminary draft of the document the contested seats committee was still working with the contests from 20 districts involving the seats of 60 delegates. It became evident to the leaders that it would be almost impossible to get things in shape for the eleven o'clock meeting on the convention today and an agreement was tentatively reached to postpone the session until 2 o'clock this afternoon. It is expected, however, that although the meeting hour may be later, the entire work of the convention will be concluded today or this evening.

When the convention meets the plan is to make the temporary organization permanent. Mr. Nixon will make no further remarks as presiding officer. After the adoption of the platform, nominations will follow, and then the roll will be called by counties.

The nominations to be made and voted for under this order include governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, attorney general, comptroller, engineer and surveyor.

Adjourned Till Afternoon.

Buffalo, Sept. 25.—The democratic state convention was called to order at 11:06 o'clock by Chairman Nixon who announced that owing to the inability of the committees appointed yesterday to complete their work the session would stand adjourned until 2:30 p. m. today.

Night Session Probable.

Buffalo, Sept. 25.—At 1:30 o'clock this afternoon the committee on contested seats in the democratic state convention has seven contested cases before it for argument and the indications were that when the convention assembled at 2:56 o'clock it will be only to adjourn again till evening, probably 9 p. m. This means that there will either be an all night session or that late adjournment will be taken tonight until tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Buffalo, Sept. 25.—The democratic state convention adjourned till 6:30 p. m.

SEARCH IS STILL ON

But No Trace Has Been Found of the Missing Henry Whitney.

POLICE ARE AT WORK

Assisting the Anxious Relatives, But Efforts Have Failed.

The search for Henry Whitney, the aged man who disappeared from his home in this city a week ago Monday is still being prosecuted by the police and relatives of the missing man but no additional evidence of the man's whereabouts has been found. That he was seen on the Findlay road a week ago today, the police have no doubts but all efforts to find any traces of where he went to while out in that part of Bath township have proven fruitless. The relatives are determined however, to continue the search until the aged man is found, whether he be dead or alive. Fears that he became ill and died somewhere in the woods are growing stronger but the searchers are at a loss to decide where to search farther.

LODGE AT ALGER.

Over Five Hundred Visitors Attended Installation.

A new lodge of the Knights of Pythias has been instituted at Alger with a membership of thirty-six. The new lodge will be known as Golden Shield, No. 751. Over five hundred visitors attended the installation, at which Phil C. Ries, deputy grand chancellor of the Eighth district, officiated. After the ordination the lodge met and elected officers as follows:

Chancellor: commander, S. B. Moffitt; vice commander, J. J. Rumbaugh; prelate, F. K. Powell; keeper of records and seal, G. C. Phillips; master of the exchequer, E. H. Snyder; master of finance, F. P. Ritter; master-at-arms, R. A. Elliott; inner guard, E. R. Ewing; outer guard, S. E. Moorman; post commander, F. L. Ramsdell.

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